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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Ward et al.
Serial No.: 09/445,640
Filing Date: May 8, 2000
Title: Apparatus and Method for Making Bags of Different Dimensions

Docket No:42978-01
Examiner: Kim, Eugene
Group Art Unit: 3721

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one month extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a) within which to respond to the Office Action mailed January 6, 2003, that is, to and including May 6, 2003.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1765.

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